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SUPERVISOR BOWEN COMMENDS PROTEST RALLY AGAINST RADIO PERSONALITY'S CHARACTERIZATION OF DEREK WILLIAMS

Bowen joins in public demand for apology from host Mark Belling of 1130 WISN

Milwaukee – Milwaukee County Supervisor David Bowen, District 10, supports the protest efforts of 1290 WMCS talk show host Earl Ingram, including the rally held Thursday, October 4, 2012 in front of Clear Channel's WISN radio station, located at 12100 W. Howard Ave. in Greenfield, against 1130 WISN radio show host Mark Belling.

Ingram is condemning Belling for crossing the line when he called Derek Williams a "dirty, rotten thug" and is demanding that Belling apologize to the family and to the community for his cruel remarks.

Williams died in police custody when his pleas for help were not taken seriously by the arresting officers.

"We must speak out against comments that infuse hate against our community," said Supervisor Bowen. "I support Earl Ingram in his stand against these types of comments and stereotypes of young people of color."

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